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Examiner: Vanessa T. Velasquez

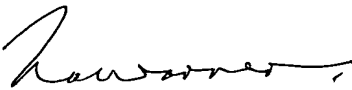
Dear Ms Velasquez

In response to your communication dated 09/05/2008, please find enclosed draft amended Claims.

Further to our telephone conversation, I confirm that as a retired academic close to 77 years of age with my hearing somewhat impaired plus the fact that I do not have access to fax phone facilities, telephone communication is likely to be very expensive for prolonged discussions between the United Kingdom and the United States.

You undertook to raise the above matter with Roy King and seek approval for me to contact you by e-mail for informal discussions in the hope we can come to some agreement.

Yours sincerely


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